

MONDAY EVEN'G, Aug. 10, '85. \$2.00 PER ANNUM.

THE RECENT ENCAMPMENT, AND THE AWARD OF PRIZES.

We have regretted much that has been said by some of our contemporaries relative to the award of prizes recently at the encampment of the State Guard.

The judges in the contest between the first, second and fourth regiments for the banner and sword offered by the citizens of Asheville were army officers, who stand high in their profession, who were absolutely unbiased, it being impossible for them to have objection for preferences.

The people of Asheville were proud, and justly so, of all the regiments, and would not, of course, attempt to make invidious distinctions; nor do they wish any such impressions to go out.

All the boys bore themselves splendidly in this, their first encampment. All could not bear off prizes; but let those who were unsuccessful in this instance, bear their defeat as soldiers, and strive for better luck next time.

DEATH OF PROF. WASHINGTON C. KERR.

The life of this gentleman came to a close yesterday morning at 4 o'clock, at the residence of Solicitor Adams, in this place.

Prof. Kerr has been a well and widely known man in educational and scientific fields. A tutor at Chapel Hill, a Professor at Davidson College, the head of an institution in Texas, he acquired reputation as a teacher; but he is best known as a scientist.

Much of the work of Prof. Kerr remains unpublished. It will be prepared for the press by Professor Holmes, of the University, who has

taken charge of the notes of the deceased. Prof. Kerr was a native of Orange county, and was about 55 years of age.

Up to the moment of writing this brief notice, we had waited for full notes of the scientific career of the deceased, which were promised us by a gentleman in position to be fully informed.

P. S.—Since the above was in type, the notes referred to have been received, but too late, and not in proper form for this issue.

Great crimes are sometimes a long time in meeting punishment, and criminals elude detection, until they begin to feel safe.

The coroner's jury in the Finch murder case met Friday, but did not render a verdict. They were afraid that if they did the people might think they had more evidence than they really had, and at once lynch the negroes in jail and suspected.

Private boarding in Waynesville. The undersigned is prepared to accommodate a limited number of boarders at her home in Waynesville.

700 lbs. Stationery just received at J. L. Wilkie & Co's.

New Lot Timothy and Clover Seed.

The Engine Arrived, And brought me 625 regular 50 ct. Corsets, but I am selling them at 25 cts.

5 pieces Pillow Casings at the low price of 12c cts.

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Public County Teachers of Buncombe County Take Notice. On next Friday and Saturday, the 7th and 8th inst., and on Friday and Saturday, the 14th and 15th inst., I will attend at the Courthouse in Asheville for the purpose of examining all wordy applicants for teachers' certificates.

There can be no private examinations; all must come at the public days. Everybody remember that the first Monday in September is the regular time for electing School Committees by the County Board of Education.

THE LAST SCENES. The Placing of Grant's Remains in the Tomb.

We make the following extracts from Saturdays telegrams, which give some particulars of the closing incidents of the great funeral:

At precisely twenty-five minutes to 4 o'clock the sad strains of music gave notice of the approach of the catafalque, and the waiting soldiers came to order.

Behind them, and coming slowly down between the rank were soldiers at present arms, the family and mourners, among whom were President Cleveland, Vice-President Hendricks, ex-Presidents Arthur and Hayes, Senator John Sherman and other notables.

When the casket had been placed in the cedar lead lined case the members of Meade post stepped forward, and as it was their right began the last services over the body of their dead comrade.

Prayer was then offered by Post Chaplain Wright. At the close of the prayer a grizzled bugler came out of the throng, and standing directly over the body, sounded the tattoo.

Then Bishop Harris came forward, and while the gentlemen standing near shielded his head from the sun, which beat fiercely down, he began the beautiful burial services which commenced, "I am the resurrection and the life."

Then Comrade Lewis E. Moore laid a wreath of evergreens upon the casket, saying, "In behalf of the Post I give this tribute, the symbol of undying love for comrades in war."

Comrade John A. Wiedersheim laid flowers upon the coffin and named them symbols of purity.

Another wreath of laurel was laid upon the casket by Comrade John A. Sellers, as the last taken from comrades in arms.

Then Rev. Dr. Newman read the balance of the burial service. Then came an address by Rev. J. W. Sayers, chaplain in chief of the department of Pennsylvania Grand Army of the Republic, in which he spoke according to the formula prescribed for such occasions.

On the place, and within 10 minutes' ride of the center of Asheville, I can offer greater advantages than any other place adjacent to Asheville. For further information, write to, or call on Mrs. E. G. MABRY, Asheville, N. C.

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When all was over the members of the family of the dead turned sadly away and entered their carriages. All the friends went away in their coaches, while the military departed, some by railroad and some by steamer.

visible until the mastsheads of the vessel until the ceremonies were over, the ships of the squadron kept up a steady salute of sixteen pound blank cartridges, once in a minute.

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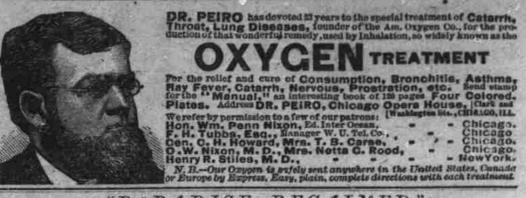
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